



La Paloma Park is a “vest pocket park” that has been City owned since 1969. It is a triangular parcel of .4 acres and is located at south Lomita Blvd., east of Anza Avenue. The name means “the dove” and was named by the Parks and Recreation Commission on March 5, 1975 and is keeping with the theme of naming parks in Spanish.

It was acquired in 1969 and developed by high school students as part of a Public Employment Summer Program (PEP) for youth. This park was completely constructed by them. They did everything from digging the trenches for the sprinkler systems to the planting of the bushes and trees. The park was completed in August of 1973 and has 1 picnic table, 1 barbecue, 1 children’s swing set, a couple of benches and a grass play area.